

Supplementary materials

Supplementary Code Snippet 1. Pre-processing script for MNE-Python.

```
import mne
from mne import find_events, Epochs, pick_types, read_evokeds
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

ch_name_dic = {'EEG001': 'P09', 'EEG002': 'Fpz', 'EEG003': 'P010',
'EEG004': 'AF7',
               'EEG005': 'AF3', 'EEG006': 'AFz', 'EEG007': 'AF4', 'EEG008':
'AF8', 'EEG009': 'F7',
               'EEG010': 'F5', 'EEG011': 'F3', 'EEG012': 'F1', 'EEG013':
'Fz', 'EEG014': 'F2',
               'EEG015': 'F4', 'EEG016': 'F6', 'EEG017': 'F8', 'EEG018':
'FT9', 'EEG019': 'FT7',
               'EEG020': 'FC5', 'EEG021': 'FC3', 'EEG022': 'FC1', 'EEG023':
'FCz', 'EEG024': 'FC2',
               'EEG025': 'FC4', 'EEG026': 'FC6', 'EEG027': 'FT8', 'EEG028':
'FT10', 'EEG029': 'T9',
               'EEG030': 'T7', 'EEG031': 'C5', 'EEG032': 'C3', 'EEG033':
'C1', 'EEG034': 'Cz',
               'EEG035': 'C2', 'EEG036': 'C4', 'EEG037': 'C6', 'EEG038':
'T8', 'EEG039': 'T10',
               'EEG040': 'TP9', 'EEG041': 'TP7', 'EEG042': 'CP5', 'EEG043':
'CP3', 'EEG044': 'CP1',
               'EEG045': 'CPz', 'EEG046': 'CP2', 'EEG047': 'CP4', 'EEG048':
'CP6', 'EEG049': 'TP8',
               'EEG050': 'TP10', 'EEG051': 'P9', 'EEG052': 'P7', 'EEG053':
'P5', 'EEG054': 'P3',
               'EEG055': 'P1', 'EEG056': 'Pz', 'EEG057': 'P2', 'EEG058':
'P4', 'EEG059': 'P6',
               'EEG060': 'P8', 'EEG065': 'P10', 'EEG066': 'P07', 'EEG067':
'P03', 'EEG068': 'P0z',
               'EEG069': 'P04', 'EEG070': 'P08', 'EEG071': 'O1', 'EEG072':
'Oz', 'EEG073': 'O2', 'EEG074': 'Iz'}

event_id = {'Famous':1, 'Unfamiliar':2, 'Scrambled':3}

for subID in range(1,17):
    path = f'/Users/ds000117_R1.0.0/sub-{subID:03}/ses-meg/meg'
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for runID in range(1,7):
    raw = mne.io.read_raw_fif(f'{path}/sub-{subID:03}_ses-meg_task-
facerecognition_run-{runID:02}_meg.fif', preload=True)

raw.set_channel_types({'EEG061':'eog', 'EEG062':'eog', 'EEG063':'ecg', 'EEG06
4':'misc'})
    # raw.plot(block=True)
    events =
mne.find_events(raw, stim_channel='STI101', shortest_event=1)
    events = mne.merge_events(events, [5,6,7], 1)
    events = mne.merge_events(events, [13,14,15], 2)
    events = mne.merge_events(events, [17,18,19], 3)

    picks =
mne.pick_types(raw.info, meg=False, eeg=True, stim=False, eog=False, ecg=False,
misc=False)
    raw.filter(0.1, 30, n_jobs=2, fir_design='firwin')

    epochs = mne.Epochs(raw, events, event_id, tmin=-0.2, tmax=0.6,
picks=picks,
                        baseline=(-0.2, 0), reject=None, preload=True)
    # epoch_raw.drop_channels(['EEG061', 'EEG062', 'EEG063', 'EEG064'])
    epochs.resample(1000.00)
    epochs.rename_channels(ch_name_dic)
    # epochs.plot(block=True)
    # epochs.info['bads'] = ['EEG061', 'EEG062', 'EEG063', 'EEG064']
    # epochs.interpolate_bads(reset_bads=True, mode='accurate',
verbose=None)
    epochs.set_eeg_reference(ref_channels='average', projection=True)
    epochs.apply_proj()

    eeg_reject = dict(eeg=200e-6)
    epochs.drop_bad(reject=eeg_reject, flat=None, verbose=None)

epochs.save(f'/Users/preprocessed/sub-{subID}-run-{runID}-eeg-epo.fif')

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Supplementary Code Snippet 2. Load multiple ‘.fif’ epoch files and save as one ‘.h5’ file.

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import easyEEG
path = '/Users/preprocessed/'
fif_list = [f'{path}sub-{subID}-run-{runID}-eeg-epo.fif'
            for subID in range(1,17) for runID in range(1,7)]

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epochs = easyEEG.io.load_mne_fif(fif_list)
epochs.save('DATAS/EasyEEG_paper/data.h5')
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Supplementary Code Snippet 3. Detailed code for “*topography()*”. We should specify the “channels:’each” in the target definition.

```
scripts = [{ 'conditions': 'Scrambled,Famous',
              'timepoints': '0~600'},
            { 'conditions': 'Scrambled,Unfamiliar',
              'timepoints': '0~600'},
            { 'conditions': 'Unfamiliar,Famous',
              'timepoints': '0~600'}]

for idx,script in enumerate(scripts):
    e = epochs.extract(script)
    GFP = e.GFP(compare=True)
    GFP.default_plot_params['style']='ticks' # remove the background
    color for paper publication
    GFP.save(f'DATAS/EasyEEG_paper/gfp{idx}')
    GFP.plot()
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Supplementary Code Snippet 4. An example for using an external classifier (Convolutional neural network). A simple classifier model may fail to fit the real relationship between data points and their condition labels, and so fail to recognize some complicate differences between conditions. We provide an example of how to build an complex classifier, Convolutional neural network (CNN), by Tensorflow (Abadi et al., 2016) and Keras (Chollet and Others, 2015). CNN is a type of deep learning model. It accepts feature matrices (topographical images) rather than the feature vectors (amplitudes), so we define the feature transformation in function “reshape_X” and pass the function as the value of parameter “reshape_X_method”. Then we define the model structure and the measurement of model performance in function “run_model” and pass the function as the value of parameter “run_model”. The model consists of two convolutional layers with ReLU-activation and max-pooling, a fully connected layer with ReLU-activation, and a fully connected layer with softmax-activation. The convolution layer can learn the interactions among sensors and robust to the EEG signal noise. Ideally the model should work better than Logistic Regression. However, we do not adjust parameters in this model for EEG data or apply few-shot technologies (learning from a small size of samples). Therefore, the results could be sub-optimal.

```
from EasyEEG.graph.figure_unit import get_topograph

import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow.python.keras.models import Sequential
from tensorflow.python.keras.utils import to_categorical
from tensorflow.python.keras.layers import Reshape, MaxPooling2D,
Conv2D, Dense, Flatten
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from tensorflow.python.keras.optimizers import Adam
from sklearn.metrics import roc_auc_score

# transform the feature vector (amplitudes) to a feature matrix
(topography)
def reshape_X(X, extra_params):
    N = 20
    locs = epochs.info['xy_locs']
    channels = X[0].columns.get_level_values('channel')

    X = np.array([get_topograph(i, locs, channels, N) for i in X])
    return X

# define a CNN model
def run_model(X, Y, train_index, test_index, extra_params):
    # model structure (https://github.com/Hvass-Labs/TensorFlow-Tutorials/blob/master/03C\_Keras\_API.ipynb)
    img_size = 20

    model = Sequential()

    model.add(Reshape((img_size, img_size, 1), input_shape=(img_size,
img_size)))

    model.add(Conv2D(kernel_size=5, strides=1, filters=16,
padding='same', activation='relu'))
    model.add(MaxPooling2D(pool_size=2, strides=2))

    model.add(Conv2D(kernel_size=5, strides=1, filters=36,
padding='same', activation='relu'))
    model.add(MaxPooling2D(pool_size=2, strides=2))

    model.add(Flatten()) # Flatten the 4-rank output of the
convolutional layers to 2-rank that can be input to a fully connected
layer.
    model.add(Dense(128, activation='relu'))
    model.add(Dense(2, activation='softmax')) # Last fully connected
layer with softmax-activation, for the classification

    model.compile(loss='categorical_crossentropy', optimizer=Adam(lr=1e-
2))

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# model training
model.fit(x=X[train_index], y=to_categorical(Y)[train_index],
batch_size=30, epochs=1, verbose=0)

# model inference
prob_train = model.predict_proba(X[train_index])[:,1]
prob_test = model.predict_proba(X[test_index])[:,1]

# generate AUC as the classification score
score_train = roc_auc_score(Y[train_index],prob_train)
score_test = roc_auc_score(Y[test_index],prob_test)

return score_train, score_test

result = e.classification(win_size='10ms',fold=15,
                           reshape_X_method=reshape_X,
                           run_model=run_model)
result.correct(method='cluster').plot()

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Supplementary Result 1.

Name: Topography

****Samples in Data:**

time	0	100	200	300	400 \
channel condition_group					
AF3 0 S vs U	-0.161358	-0.083674	-0.914262	-1.752146	-1.136859
AF4 0 S vs U	-0.129856	-0.071146	-0.857713	-1.592307	-0.981774
AF7 0 S vs U	-0.198511	-0.038452	-0.696764	-1.502560	-0.602885
AF8 0 S vs U	-0.226421	-0.283624	-0.853643	-1.622599	-0.647796
AFz 0 S vs U	-0.133386	-0.024470	-0.847504	-1.709511	-1.275690

time	500	600
channel condition_group		
AF3 0 S vs U	-0.325774	0.549780
AF4 0 S vs U	-0.011146	0.921798
AF7 0 S vs U	0.403305	1.168123
AF8 0 S vs U	0.546619	1.276115
AFz 0 S vs U	-0.526475	0.507121

****Samples in Annotation:**

time	0	100	200	300	400 \
channel condition_group					
AF3 0 S vs U	0.202987	0.546290	0.000096	6.792738e-06	0.003323

AF4	0 S vs U	0.301619	0.590314	0.000027	2.272653e-06	0.010381
AF7	0 S vs U	0.246107	0.884012	0.030994	1.328164e-03	0.196879
AF8	0 S vs U	0.109700	0.095464	0.000315	1.312931e-05	0.099305
AFz	0 S vs U	0.269374	0.820518	0.000017	3.118241e-07	0.000867

time		500	600
channel	condition_group		
AF3	0 S vs U	0.386503	0.112884
AF4	0 S vs U	0.980080	0.072064
AF7	0 S vs U	0.445874	0.020448
AF8	0 S vs U	0.353624	0.061543
AFz	0 S vs U	0.180809	0.200313

Supplementary Result 2.

Name: significant_channels_count

**Samples in Data:

time	2	7	12	17	22	27	32	37	42	47	...	552	\
condition_group											...		
0 S vs U	1	0	0	1	2	2	1	1	0	2	...	20	
0 S vs F	1	1	4	6	6	4	2	1	1	0	...	36	
0 F vs U	2	4	7	12	10	7	7	3	2	0	...	21	

time	557	562	567	572	577	582	587	592	597
condition_group									
0 S vs U	20	25	27	27	34	35	35	34	35
0 S vs F	38	38	39	37	37	37	38	39	40
0 F vs U	23	25	24	23	25	26	28	29	28

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Supplementary Result 3.

Name: GFP

**Samples in Data:

time			0	1	2	3	\
subject	condition_group	channel_group					
1	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.377265	0.380017	0.384257	0.389661	
10	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.557882	0.555313	0.553497	0.552378	
11	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.515722	0.514311	0.513238	0.512541	
12	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.957178	0.964533	0.971517	0.977753	
13	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.508950	0.513307	0.519212	0.526837	

time			4	5	6	7	\
subject	condition_group	channel_group					
1	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.396364	0.403958	0.412531	0.421655	

10	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.552115	0.552640	0.554080	0.556310
11	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.512792	0.513938	0.516386	0.519909
12	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.982923	0.986924	0.989655	0.991306
13	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.536054	0.546944	0.559344	0.573259

time			8	9	...	591 \
subject	condition_group	channel_group				...
1	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.431422	0.441451	...	2.826535
10	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.559373	0.563067	...	3.074117
11	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.524721	0.530433	...	3.410740
12	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.991966	0.992014	...	5.054030
13	0 Scrambled	0 All	0.588519	0.605061	...	4.355536

time			592	593	594	595 \
subject	condition_group	channel_group				
1	0 Scrambled	0 All	2.842860	2.858723	2.873448	2.887393
10	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.082331	3.092524	3.104206	3.117395
11	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.408594	3.407195	3.405903	3.405528
12	0 Scrambled	0 All	5.021280	4.992827	4.967359	4.945983
13	0 Scrambled	0 All	4.308180	4.262083	4.215651	4.170986

time			596	597	598	599 \
subject	condition_group	channel_group				
1	0 Scrambled	0 All	2.900004	2.911627	2.921911	2.931053
10	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.131661	3.146771	3.162507	3.178125
11	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.405432	3.406359	3.407715	3.410109
12	0 Scrambled	0 All	4.927431	4.913008	4.901544	4.894480
13	0 Scrambled	0 All	4.126118	4.083614	4.040732	4.001198

time			600
subject	condition_group	channel_group	
1	0 Scrambled	0 All	2.939228
10	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.194377
11	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.413193
12	0 Scrambled	0 All	4.890638
13	0 Scrambled	0 All	3.959817

[5 rows x 601 columns]

****Samples in Annotation:**

time			10	30	50	70	90 \
condition_group							
0 Scrambled,0 Famous			0.329679	0.890589	0.331695	0.069825	0.074358

time			110	130	150	170	190 \
condition_group							

0 Scrambled,0 Famous 0.177981 0.195641 0.002531 0.00984 0.000013

time ... 410 430 450 470 \
condition_group ...
0 Scrambled,0 Famous ... 0.020143 0.03582 0.028712 0.015977

time 490 510 530 550 570 \
condition_group
0 Scrambled,0 Famous 0.001935 0.000462 0.000216 0.000077 0.00002

time 590
condition_group
0 Scrambled,0 Famous 0.000033

[1 rows x 30 columns]

Supplementary Result 4.

Name: TANOVA

**Samples in Data:

time 2 7 12 17 22 27 \
condition_group
0 S vs U 0.556444 0.745255 0.664336 0.644356 0.813187 0.816184
0 S vs F 0.617383 0.344655 0.222777 0.257742 0.453546 0.644356
0 F vs U 0.784216 0.547453 0.369630 0.256743 0.239760 0.295704

time 32 37 42 47 ... 552 \
condition_group ...
0 S vs U 0.634366 0.528472 0.508492 0.434565 ... 0.000999
0 S vs F 0.723277 0.729271 0.754246 0.850150 ... 0.000999
0 F vs U 0.356643 0.315684 0.264735 0.273726 ... 0.090909

time 557 562 567 572 577 582 \
condition_group
0 S vs U 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999
0 S vs F 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999
0 F vs U 0.079920 0.047952 0.018981 0.005994 0.001998 0.001998

time 587 592 597
condition_group
0 S vs U 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999
0 S vs F 0.000999 0.000999 0.000999
0 F vs U 0.001998 0.003996 0.009990

[3 rows x 120 columns]

****Samples in Annotation:**

time		2	7	12	17	22	\
condition_group	subject						
0 S vs U	0	0.133383	0.100340	0.113674	0.110730	0.083330	
0 S vs F	0	0.111794	0.147138	0.163269	0.138288	0.097395	
0 F vs U	0	0.098390	0.121824	0.143361	0.156552	0.154418	

time		27	32	37	42	47	\
condition_group	subject						
0 S vs U	0	0.078676	0.101468	0.114250	0.112197	0.114189	
0 S vs F	0	0.070931	0.063608	0.065373	0.063950	0.054421	
0 F vs U	0	0.135813	0.122365	0.130785	0.143962	0.135744	

time		...	552	557	562	567	\
condition_group	subject	...					
0 S vs U	0	...	0.013855	0.013904	0.014847	0.016371	
0 S vs F	0	...	0.022856	0.021666	0.022175	0.023972	
0 F vs U	0	...	0.002830	0.002985	0.003495	0.004459	

time		572	577	582	587	592	\
condition_group	subject						
0 S vs U	0	0.017761	0.018312	0.017975	0.017381	0.017173	
0 S vs F	0	0.026226	0.027683	0.027579	0.026578	0.026077	
0 F vs U	0	0.005764	0.006984	0.007656	0.007570	0.006839	

time		597
condition_group	subject	
0 S vs U	0	0.017697
0 S vs F	0	0.026799
0 F vs U	0	0.005814

[3 rows x 120 columns]

Supplementary Result 5.

Name: Pattern classification

****Samples in Data:**

time		2	7	12	17	22	27	32	37	\
condition_group										
0 S vs F		0.256	0.641	0.718	0.952	0.898	0.852	0.885	0.728	
0 S vs U		0.232	0.343	0.787	0.929	0.904	0.867	0.540	0.497	
0 U vs F		0.037	0.192	0.492	0.668	0.615	0.732	0.566	0.636	

time		42	47	...	552	557	562	567	572	577	582	\
condition_group				...								
0 S vs F		0.857	0.951	...	0.000	0.0	0.0	0.000	0.000	0.0	0.000	

0 S vs U	0.263	0.609	...	0.000	0.0	0.0	0.000	0.000	0.0	0.000
0 U vs F	0.306	0.401	...	0.005	0.0	0.0	0.002	0.001	0.0	0.002

time	587	592	597
condition_group			
0 S vs F	0.0	0.0	0.0
0 S vs U	0.0	0.0	0.0
0 U vs F	0.0	0.0	0.0

[3 rows x 120 columns]

****Samples in Annotation:**

time		2	7	12	17	22	\
condition_group	subject						
0 S vs F	1	0.555130	0.529193	0.497357	0.495715	0.493275	
	10	0.503662	0.496073	0.499009	0.476619	0.484096	
	11	0.488151	0.515271	0.504270	0.475102	0.458023	
	12	0.447826	0.440999	0.424995	0.399981	0.399796	
	13	0.463077	0.453845	0.486155	0.480674	0.463548	

time		27	32	37	42	47	\
condition_group	subject						
0 S vs F	1	0.513620	0.492651	0.508405	0.509078	0.515480	
	10	0.474934	0.482625	0.484719	0.498233	0.514622	
	11	0.441614	0.455741	0.457926	0.479990	0.481456	
	12	0.426179	0.463571	0.442368	0.475930	0.527808	
	13	0.488689	0.509775	0.499828	0.486003	0.486661	

time		...	552	557	562	567	\
condition_group	subject	...					
0 S vs F	1	...	0.709275	0.688575	0.701784	0.705450	
	10	...	0.646246	0.633509	0.627727	0.649949	
	11	...	0.690209	0.685347	0.700046	0.704479	
	12	...	0.712914	0.683256	0.666494	0.681073	
	13	...	0.865731	0.857273	0.860178	0.868929	

time		572	577	582	587	592	\
condition_group	subject						
0 S vs F	1	0.703124	0.717007	0.710632	0.708465	0.709904	
	10	0.650215	0.653917	0.663795	0.664939	0.640950	
	11	0.712028	0.694857	0.689622	0.694704	0.666910	
	12	0.678316	0.687863	0.690749	0.717743	0.693562	
	13	0.869681	0.862189	0.852487	0.854441	0.863375	

time	597
condition_group	subject

0 S vs F	1	0.698791
	10	0.625715
	11	0.661164
	12	0.700814
	13	0.857351

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